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61-7-103 Accidents involving death or personal injuries.

- (1) The driver <u>or passenger in of any</u> vehicle involved in an accident resulting in injury to or death of any person shall immediately stop the vehicle at the scene of the accident or as close to the accident as possible but shall then return to and in every event remain at the scene of the accident until the driver <u>or passenger in the vehicle</u> has fulfilled the requirements of <u>61-7-105</u>. Each stop at the scene of the accident must be made without obstructing traffic more than is necessary.
- (2) (a) Except as provided in subsection (2)(b), a driver or passenger in the vehicle, failing to stop or to comply with the requirements of subsection (1) shall upon conviction be punished by imprisonment for a term of not less than 30 days or more than 1 year, by a fine of not less than \$ 100 or more than \$ 5,000, or by both fine and imprisonment.
- (b) If the accident resulted in serious bodily injury or death of any person, a driver or passenger in the vehicle failing to stop or to comply with the requirements of subsection (1) shall upon conviction be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for a term of not less than 1 year or more than 10 years, by a fine in an amount not to exceed \$ 50,000, or by both fine and imprisonment.
- (3) The department shall revoke the license or permit to drive of any resident and any nonresident operating privilege of a person convicted of violating this section for the period prescribed in 61-5-205.

61-7-105 Duty to give information and render aid.

The driver <u>or passenger</u> of any vehicle involved in an accident resulting in injury to or death of any person or damage to any vehicle which is driven or attended by any person shall give his name, address, and the registration number of the vehicle he is driving <u>or riding in</u> and shall upon request and if available exhibit his driver's license to the person struck or the driver or occupant of or person attending any vehicle collided with and shall render to any person injured in such accident reasonable assistance, including the carrying, or the making of arrangements for the carrying, of such person to a physician, surgeon, or hospital for medical or surgical treatment if it is apparent that such treatment is necessary or if such carrying is requested by the injured person.